

Letter from Mabel Hubbard Bell to Alexander Graham Bell, February 1, 1883, with transcript

Letter from Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell to Dr. Alexander Graham Bell. 1500 Rhode Island Ave., February 1, 1883. My dearest Alec:

I am indeed rejoiced in your success in finding the "missing link". It is all right now and what now did you discover in Hartford? But I must wait for your return before I can hear. I am so glad and yet I am a little disturbed for fear that you may be upset over it. Don't fail to see Dr. Kennicutt for my satisfaction at all events I want to feel more comfortable about you and you will do what you can to please me, wont you?

All has gone on very quitely since you left but the house feels very lonely and empty and purposeless without your large presence to fill it.

Sister and Gypsey are getting on but that you can wait to hear. All it is necessary for you to hear now is that we are well and glad with you and that your wife wants you to see Dr. Kennicutt.

Your loving wife.